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In response to Applicant's letter, "Information Disclosure Statement," received on March 21, 2008, the following action has been taken:

THE PROSECUTION OF THE CASE IS CLOSED AS OF THE DATE THE NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY WAS MAILED ON March 21, 2008.

- 1. Applicant's Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) of March 21, 2008 has been accepted by the Examiner and the initialed copy (one page) of the IDS, Form 1449, is attached with this correspondance.
- Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Tesfaldet Bocure whose telephone number is (703) 305-4735. The examiner can normally be reached on Mon-Thur (7:30a-5:00p) & Mon-Fri (7:30a-5:00p)
- If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Mohammad H Ghayour can be reached on (703) 306-3034. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is (703) 872-9314. Any inquiry of a general nature or relating to the status of this application or proceeding should be directed to the receptionist whose telephone number is (703) 305-4700.

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